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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)
Susan I. SHELSO	)
Application No.: 09/753,448	) Group Art Unit: 3738
Filed: January 4, 2001	) Examiner: K. LANDREM
For: EXPANSION-ASSISTING DELIVERY SYSTEM FOR SELE-EXPANDING STENT	) ) )

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 **RECEIVED** 

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## REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed October 22, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** follow the Amendments section of this paper.

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